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SPCA journeys west to new Sungei Tengah facility 18 to 26 January 2016

Singapore, 14 January 2016 – The countdown has begun as the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals (SPCA) prepares for its migration to the west of Singapore. Commencing Monday, 18 January, the SPCA will begin to vacate its existing premises at Mount Vernon, which has been home for the past 32 years, and will be moving to the new facility at 50 Sungei Tengah Road. As there will be movement of heavy vehicles at Mount Vernon and Sungei Tengah premises during the relocation, the public is advised for safety reasons to avoid both areas from 18 to 26 January.

Adoption services will temporarily close during this period to ensure a smooth transition for our animals while allowing them to adjust to their new environment.

Cruelty investigation, handling of lost-and-found cases and our 24-hour rescue service for injured animals will continue during this period. Members of the public are advised to contact our emergency hotline at 6287 5355.

SPCA's new facility opens to the public on January 27, with resumption of all services. The Sungei Tengah premises can house more animals and includes an exercise and agility course for dogs, socialization areas for prospective adopters and animals, as well as a dedicated area specially designed for education programmes.

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About *Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals (SPCA)*

The SPCA is a registered animal welfare charity and its two main objectives are to promote kindness to animals and to prevent cruelty to animals. Relying mainly on donations from the public and fundraising, the Society provides various animal welfare services including a 24-hour emergency service, cruelty investigation, an adoption programme, an education programme for schools and organisations, a sterilisation programme for community animals, running an animal shelter and supporting quarantine for unwanted, abused and abandoned animals. For more information, visit <http://www.sPCA.org.sg>